SRI V. M. KUSNOOR.—The Reserve Bank has told the Maharashtra Government that this is our money and why they have given such kind of exemption. There is a dialogue going on between the m. I have to wait and see what action they are going to take against Maharashtra Government's action.

Spending of the amount of Development Cess

319 SRI P. A. PAWASHE (Uchagaon)—Will the Minister of State for Regulated Markets be pleased to state:—

(a) since when the APMCs are collecting developmental cess;

(b) what is the total amount of developmental cess that has been collected by the Belgaum Taluk Agril. Produce Market Committee since then;

(c) whether it is a fact that the amount of development cess collected by the Agril. Produce Market Committee is to be spent in the same taluka?

SRI A. B. JAKANUR (Minister of State for Regulated Markets)

(a) The Market Committees are not collecting developmental cess, but they were collecting market fee from sellers at 1% with effect from 19th May 1978 under Section 65 (1) of the Karnataka Agricultural Produce Marketing (Regulation) Act, 1966.

(b) The total amount collected by the Agricultural Produce Market Committee Belgaum by way of market fee from sellers since then is Rs. 26,83,537-18.

(c) No.

SRI P. A. PAWASHE:—Supplementary to (a) Is it a fact that they were collecting 1% more from the buyers also?

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SRI B. B. SAYANAK:-There is a ruling from the Speaker that when a question is put in English it should be answered in English. Why is the Minister answering in Kannada?

MR. SPEAKER:—If the Hon. Member wants to say something I will give an opportunity. But when the Hon. Minister is standing and replying, can he obstruct?

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—You have given a ruling.

SRI P. A PAWASHE.- Let him reply in English.

MR. SPEAKER.- Let the Hon. Minister complete the reply.

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—If that is the case, we will protest and stage a walk out. If this is the attitude of the Speaker despite his ruling and if he is not going to protect our rights, we will stage a walk out.

(*The Members of Maharashtra Ekikaran Samithi withdrew from the House*

Committee for publication of Temple History in Dakshina Kannada District.

364 SRI DR. DAMODAR MULKY (Moodabidri).—Will the Minister of State for Major, Medium Irrigation and Muzrai be pleased to state:

(a) whether a committee has been constituted for "publication of Temple History" of Dakshina Kannada District;

(b) if so, who are the members of the Committee;

(c) what is the budget allotted to the Committee?

SRI N. BASAVAIAH (Minister of State for Major, Medium Irrigation and Muzrai).

(a) Yes.

(b)—

(1) The Assistant Commissioner, HR and CE Mangalore Chairman;

(2) Sri Annaji Ballal, Managing Trustee,
Sri Jauardhaua Mahakali Temple, Amblapadi, Udupi Member

(3) Sri Y. Vasudeva Bhat, Managing Trustee,
Sri Manjunatha Temple, Kadri, Managalore Member.

(4) Dr. Gananatha Shetty, Managing Trustee,
Sri Durgaparameswari Temple Kateel Member.

(5) Sri Ramakrishna Shastri. Managing Trustee,
Sri Mahagana-pathi Temple, Sharavu, Mangalore Member.

(6) Dr. P. Gururaja Bhat. Director, Institute of
Indian Studies, Kadiyal, Udipi-2 Author member.

(c) A sum of Rs. 45,00000 has been allotted to this Committee.

ಶ್ರೀ ದಾಮೋದರ ಮೂಲ್ಕಿ:—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈ ಸಮಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಯಾವಾಗ ರಚಿಸಲಾಯಿತು? ಸಮಿತಿಯನ್ನು ರಚಿಸಿದ ನಂತರ ಯಾವ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯನ್ನು ಸಾಧಿಸಿದೆ? ಈ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಎಷ್ಟು ಹಣ ಖರ್ಚು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ?

†ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಬಸವಯ್ಯ:—ಈ ಸಮಿತಿಯು ೨೧-೩-೧೯೭೮ರಲ್ಲಿ ರಚನೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದರ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರಾಗಿ ಡಾ. ಗುರುರಾಜ ಭಟ್ ಅವರನ್ನು ಅಪಾಯಿಂಟ್ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಅವರು ದುರ್ದೈವ